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What Is Claimed Is:

1. A flexible fluid containment vessel for the transportation of cargo comprising a fluid or fluidisable material, said vessel comprising:

an elongated flexible tubular structure having a circumference comprised of at least two fabric segments having a width which is smaller than a width of the tubular structure;

means for rendering said tubular structure impervious; said tubular structure having a front end and a rear end; means for sealing said front end and said rear end; means for filling and emptying said vessel of cargo; means for joining said segments together;

said means for joining comprising a first upright member on a surface of one segment along an edge thereof; a second upright member on a surface of a second segment along an edge thereof; aligning said first and second upright members, means for sealing a space between said first and second segments and means for securing said first and second upright members together.

- 2. A vessel in accordance with claim 1 wherein said upright members are generally C-shaped and said means for sealing a space includes a means having respective complimentary shaped portions to receive said C-shape.
- 3. A vessel in accordance with claim 2 wherein said means for sealing a space has generally an I-shape.
- 4. A vessel in accordance with claim 3 wherein said clamping means comprises a generally U-shaped clamp which maintains said C-shape members in a clamping arrangement with each other and the I-shaped sealing means therebetween.

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- 5. A vessel in accordance with claim 2 wherein said upright members are formed from the edge of the segment.
- 6. A vessel in accordance with claim 2 wherein said upright members are fixedly secured to the edge of the segment.
- 7. A vessel in accordance with claim 6 wherein said upright members are maintained within an overlap formed from the edge of the segment.
- 8. A vessel in accordance with claim 7 wherein said overlap is sewn or glued to the surface of the segment.
 - 9. A vessel in accordance with claim 1 wherein a length of said segment is equal to that of the circumference of the tubular structure.
 - 10. A vessel in accordance with claim 1 wherein said means for securing said members together includes stitching said members together.
 - 11. A vessel in accordance with claim 10 which further includes rope as part of the stitching.
 - 12. A method of joining at least two segments of material together comprising the steps of:

providing at least two segments of material each having a surface and an edge;

creating respective upright members at the respective edges of the segment;

aligning said respective upright members and providing a sealing means therebetween; and

clamping or affixing said respective upright members together.

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- 13. The method in accordance with claim 12 wherein said segments comprise fabric.
- 14. The method in accordance with claim 13 wherein said upright members are created in generally a C-shape.
- 15. The method in accordance with claim 14 wherein said sealing means is generally I-shaped.
- 16. The method in accordance with claim 15 wherein said clamping is provided by a generally U-shaped clamp which clamps the C-shaped members to each other with the I-shaped sealing means therebetween.
 - 17. The method in accordance with claim 13 wherein said upright members are formed from the edge of the segments.
 - 18. The method in accordance with claim 13 wherein said upright members are formed separately and fixedly secured to the edge of the segments.
 - 19. The method in accordance with claim 18 wherein said upright members are formed out of fabric and are generally C-shaped and are fixedly secured to the edge of the segment.
- 25 20. The method in accordance with claim 19 wherein said C-shaped members are maintained within an overlap formed from the edge of the segments.
- 21. The method in accordance with claim 20 wherein said overlap is sewn or glued to the surface of the segment.